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New York Curb Stocks. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New Tork, Dec. 2.—The curb market to-day presented nothing novel or interesting. Business was very well maintained and prices ruled strong, but, as on recent days, enders ruled strong, but, as on recent days, professional manipulation was solely responsible for the activity and strength. Northern Securities recovered come of its reaction, closing a higher, at 124. The copper group was active, with prices, of course, maintained by the respective pools. Interborough Rapid Transit recovered from 1664 to 15f. Mackay company a lesure ruled strong and more active. Standard Oil was the heavy feature of the curb, declining a points, from 55 to 650. New York Curb Stocks. Resported by G. H. Walker & Co., No. 20f. North Fourth street. Bid. Asked. American Can com	Tennessee Copper Tonoral Mining United Copper United Copper United Copper United Copper Tonoral Mining United Copper Tonoral Mining White Knob Copper BONDS. Brooklyn Union Gas Deb 6e. 221 Seaboard Afr Line is
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SUMMARY OFST. LOUISMARKETS

Higher cables, moderate receipts, continued dry weather in the Southwest and too much moisture in the Argentine were among the builish factors. But more potent than all were certain indications that some of the big bulls were working for a further advance in the active options. Valentine, the personal representative of Armour. was said to be a good buyer in the Chicago market. There was a continued improvement in the cash and milling demand, and there was a growing impression that while the crop would be large in quantity, there would not be an oversupply of contract wheat. There was some selling by profit-takers early in the session, and for a time it looked as though the market was due for another decline, but later professional and outside support was so good that all of the initial losses were wiped out. Trading sentiment was bullish in the last hour and values were sharply higher at

there was so little interest on the buying side that it was impossible to keep values steady. Closing prices were slightly lower than on the previous day.

Dec. wheat opened %c up and closed %c up. Dec. corn opened unchanged and closed how up.

Yesterday's bank clearings were \$10,047,250, talances \$22,174. Discount rates were

steady between 4% and 6 per cent.

Spot cotton was 1/20 lower in the local market,

WHEAT CLOSES STRONG ON PROFESSIONAL BUYING.

CREASE.

Domestic Markets Are Higher.

Wheat had good support toward the close of vesterday's market. Following a higher opening there was some profit-taking by scalpers, but the early weakness was soon neutralized and professional sentiment was all bullish toward the close. Argentine weather was still unsettled and there was a fairly good cash end export inquiry. Buying by Valentine in Chicago

Broomhall estimates the world's shipents of wheat on Monday will amount to about 19,400,000 bu., or about 1,480,000 bu less than last week. He predicts there will be moderate changes in the amoun on passage to the United Kingdom and Continent. Arrivals into the United Kingdom the past week were about 4,000,000 bu.. against 4,500,000 but the previous week and Br. 2,555,999 but a year ago.
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placed at 75, against 87 last month and 72 a year ago.

Australian shipments of wheat to Europe the past week reported at 194,900 bu., as against 352,900 bu. a week ago.

Dec. wheat opened 5c up. ranged from \$1.695, to \$1.695, and closed at \$1.695.

Corn was dull and slightly on the downturn. There was practically no outside interest in options. The cash demand was light, but there was a continued scarcity of contract grades.

The corn yield of Ohio is estimated at 19,900,000 bu., against \$7,000,000 bu. a year ago.

ago.
Director Sage of the Weather and Crop
Service of Iowa raises his former estimate
of 300,000,000 bu. of corn as the crop of
Iowa to 325,000,000 bu.
Dec. corn opened unchanged, ranged
from 44% to 41% 44% and closed at 44% bid. Dec. corn opened unchanged, ranged from 44% to 44%

COMMONWEALTH TRUST LEADS STOCK LIST.

CASH DEMAND ON THE IN. OTHER ISSUES ARE ABOUT STEADY.

Offerings Are Small and Other Lack of Outside Interest Checks Trading in Local Is-

> Commonwealth Trust was the strong spot in yesterday's market for local securities. The stock opened two points up at \$257, and rapidly advanced to \$28. Missouri Trust was barely stendy at \$141.50.

The only active traction issue was Brown Bros.' Subscriptions at \$107. Brewery 6s at 28.25 and City 1.55s at \$109.50 were the only active miscellaneous

YESTERDAY'S SESSION.

London. Dec. 2 .- Bar silver steady, 277-166

New York, Dec. 2.—Prime mercantile paper 494% per cent, Sterling exchange steady. with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.850 for demand, and at 4.850-04.829 for 60-day bills: posted rates 4.845 and 4.875: commercial bills 4.830-4.855. Mexican dollars 675c. Govern-

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Corn was weak throughout the session. While the selling pressure was not heavy

Tiec, oats closed unchanged. Receipts of produce were in moderate volume and prices of fruits and vegetables were steady. Local securities were fairly active. Commonwealth Trust had good support.

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Mechanics' National held firm at \$255 and State National was taken at \$175.50.

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Chicago, Dec. 3.-Official confirmation

drought damage in Ohio, as shown by the

As a result of bullish news, the wheat

ments. France was asserted to be on an

importing basis, and was reported as hav-

ing recently been a buyer of Indian and

Australian cargoes. A more important in-

fluence was a statement that all officers of

Argentine wheat for Jan. and Feb. ship-

For the moment, however, the domestic situation appeared rather less bullish.

snow having fallen in some sections of the

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selling of May and Dec. corn, and, not-

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PROVISIONS.

New York Stock Quotations.

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DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN NEWS CAUSES AN ADVANCE IN WHEAT

Commission Houses' Assault Expectations of Enlarged Ship ments in Near Future Lead Gives Life to Oats; Provisions Decline Slightly. to Break in Corn.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

W. V. DELAHUNT, TRUST OFFICER

LEE BENOIST,

Chicago, Dec. 2.-Wheat ruled strong under heavy buying by commission houses believed to be for Armour. Much of it State crop report emphasized strength certainly was for that interest, which apin wheat here to-day. At the close the parently added to a considerable long May delivery was up %c. Corn is down line the more confidently as the market 16614c. Outs are off 1sc and provisions 25 advanced. The upturn in May was checked for most of the session at \$1.11. to Tiec. where commission houses had a great deal market opened firm, with May up the to for sale, and sold as low as \$1.1% on the 140 ac. at \$1.10% to \$1.10% @1.11. Among the liquidation of a large part of the Patten factors that created strength abroad were indications of a decrease in world's ship-

The buying attributed to Armour was sufficient to absorb this, and also the offerings of local traders, who were inclined to be bearish on the heavy seiling reported at Milwaukee. In the last half our all the \$1.11 wheat was absorbed and May went up to \$1.19%, closing at that any went up to \$1.10\forall closing at that price, sellers, a net gain of \$10\text{ for the day. There was an advance of \$10\text{ for the day. The best prices were made on buying by Lake, Harlow & McReynolds, some of the orders coming from Armour, but Bresseau and other shorts covered freely and there might have been Armour gelights, more carefully concealed than the buying on the swell.

EARLY TONE FIRM. The early tone was firm on a gain at liverpool and a private cable reporting threatening weather in Argentina, and an estimated decrease in world's shipments of 1,480,000 bu. The report France had bought several cargoes of Indian and Australian wheat and the claim of all offers of Argentine carsoes for January and February shipment had been withdrawn, traders generally construed the large Northwestern receipts and the increase of neurly 1,50,000 at Minneapolis as bearish, and were so fearful of Armour soiling they sold first and were run in.

The buils thought the refusal of Northwestern elevator interests to report stocks at country houses November 30, meant they were extremely small and bought on that supposition. Cash dealers generally called the milling demand slow with some mills still asking for delay in shipments of grain already bought. Other houses reported an improved inquiry.

The flour demand was called dull and Oregon dealers were asking for bids for both wheat and flour, saying there was no export demand for their wheat. threatening weather in Argentina, and an

CORN OFF A LITTLE fect of the approaching close of navigation. Cash prices were weak, averaging lower, and there was liquidation of May by longs, and selling of Dec. by elevator interests, which intend to manufacture

interests, which intend to manufacture contract corn by the use of dryers when lake traffic stops, and the recent sharp shipping demand for No. 3 corn drops off, Dec. rold off 1/2c to 1/3c, closing there; May dropped 1/2c to 1/3c, and July 1/2c to 1/3c. Receipts were liberal, 2/3 cars inspected in, of which 2/3 graded No. 3 or better, with to-day's arrivals estimated at 4/5 cars. Cash sales here were 25,000 bu., including export sales of 100,000 bu.

OATS ARCUSED

OATS AROUSED. Oats were shaken out of their speculative rut by an onslaught on May by a group of commission houses, the selling wheat—Opening Highest Lowes by the weakness in corn. It forced a decline of \$6.0 Dec. closing at 35c, May at alic and July at 375c. The May selling was led by Updike, Kidston, Creighton and Wagner. Cash prices steady to half cent lower; shipping sales only 25,000 bu. There were 71 cars inspected in and 22 estimated for to-day.

for to-day.

PROVISIONS DROP. PROVISIONS DROP.
Provisions dropped back a little on liquidation by smaller packers, and the Cudahys. There was a good demand from commission bouses and stock-yard speculators in the dip and prices closed only lan. commission bouses and stock-yard speculators in the dip and prices closed only Die to 124c lower. How receipts 22,600 and 44,000 are expected Monday and 70,000 for the week. Prices at the yards firm.

Bond Quotations at New York. New York, Dec. 2.-Bond quotations are as

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situation appeared rather less bullish, snow having fallen in some sections of the winter-wheat country. Receipts in the Northwest also were somewhat larger than last week.

In consequence, many traders were inclined to ignore foreign conditions and were quite liberal seliers early. The result was a reaction in prices, May declining to \$1.95. But the weakness was only temporary, a rally quickly occurring as soon as selling pressure subsided. The predominating tone of advices from the Southwest to-day was decidedly in favor of the bulls. The anxiety regarding the winter wheat crop was increased by the Ohio report, which made the condition of growing wheat in that State \$5, a losy of 12 points within a month.

This showing was "e enough to create considerable apprehension regarding the general effect of the prevailing weather. During the last half of the session, sentiment in the pit was buillish and prices gradually advanced. The market cosed practically at the highest point of the day. After touching \$1.193, May closed at \$1.194,\$11.193, Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 16.10e bu. Primary receipts were \$6,500 bu. compared with \$78.100 bu a year ago. Minneapolls, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 561 cars, against 730 last week and \$66 a year ago. SUBSTANTIAL PROFITS to those who have read with care and fol-lowed our market-letter advices. Over three months ago we urged buying these COPPER SPECIALS—MONTREAL & BOSTON CONSOLIDATED M. & S. AMALGAMATED, BRITISH COLUMBIA. GREENE CONS. TENNESSEE. Our clients made enormous profits. We are prepared to execute buying and selling or-ders on any of these stocks or other curb securities.

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BULL MARKET?

selling of May and Dec. corn, and, not-withstanding the firmness of wheat, showed considerable weakness. Another depressing factor was the excellent quali-ty of arrivals. Out of 572 cars received to-day 233 cars graded No. 3 or better and 6 were of contract grade. A revised esti-mate by the director of the Weather and Crop Service of lows, showing an in-crease of 25,000,000 bu. In the total crop of the State, was an additional bear influ-ence. May opened unchanged to a shade higher at 45% to 45% 45% c, sold off to 45% and closed at 45% 45%. GOOD FOR 5 POINTS. Influenced by weakness of corn, a bear raid was made on the oats market, result-Our last free tip was Steel com. We have something better for the asking.

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42 Broadway. ing in a moderate decline in prices. May

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87.500 21.500 Profit-taking by some of yesterday's buyers caused an easier tone in provisions. Prospects of lower prices for corn were an influence contributing to the weakness. At the close May pork was off 74% at \$13.174,513.15. Lard and ribs were each down 24% at \$7.174 and \$5.574, respectively.

Estimated receipts for Monday, Wheat, 75 cars; corn, 456 cars; oats, 92 cars; hogs, 44,000 head. New York, Dec. 2.—Following are the high-est, lowest and closing quotations for stocks on the Stock Exchange to-day, with the amount of sales: